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River's Edge Flower Farm

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E. H. WILSON (Large Cup Class)

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EXHIBITION DARWIN TULIPS, GROWN IN HOLLAND

FARNCOMBE SANDERS. Brilliant scarlet.

SUNKIST. Bright golden yellow.

THE BISHOP. Pure Violet.

PRINCESS ELIZABETH MAXIMUS. Vivid rosy pink.

ZWANENBURG. Pure white with black anthers.

\$1.20 per doz.; \$2.30 for 25; \$8.50 per 100.



PARROT TULIPS

BLUE PARROT. Bright violet color. \$1.30 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100.

FANTASY. Gorgeous pink Parrot Tulip. \$1.30 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100.

PARROT TULIP COLLECTION. 4 each of blue, pink, and red. (12 bulbs.) \$1.45.



BORDER OF TULIPS, planted in drifts of different colors.

CROCUS

Yellow. 55¢ per doz.; \$3.50 per 100.

White. 60¢ per doz.; \$4.00 per 100.

Sky-Blue. 55¢ per doz.; \$3.50 per 100.

Purple. 55¢ per doz.; \$3.50 per 100.

Mixed. 25 for 95¢; \$3.50 per 100.

SCILLA CAMPANULATA. Like tiny hyacinths, Blue, rose, or white. State choice. 100 for \$4.00. Mixed colors 100 for \$3.75.

SCILLA SIBIRICA. Blue. 100 for \$4.50.

CHIONODOXA. (Glory of the Snow.) Ten or fifteen tiny blue flowers to a spike. 100 for \$2.75.

SNOWDROPS. Have tiny white bells; very early. 100 for \$4.75.

MUSCARI. (Grape hyacinths.) A cluster of tiny blue bells on a spike. 100 for \$4.00.

COLLECTION OF SMALL BULBS. 25 each of Scilla Campanulata, Scilla Sibirica, Chionodoxa, Snowdrops, and Muscari. 125 bulbs for \$4.85.



SCILLA SIBIRICA. 100 for \$4.50.



SNOWDROPS. 100 for \$4.75.



KING ALFRED

KING ALFRED DAFFODIL (Yellow Trumpet Class.) Sturdy and hardy, blooms early. \$1.25 per doz.; \$5.75 per peck; \$21.90 per bushel.



THERESE. A very large Parrot Tulip of a subdued scarlet color. \$1.40 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

RED EMPEROR. A glorious scarlet tulip of remarkable size and substance. 3 for 40¢; \$1.20 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100.

PEONY TYPE TULIP SYMPHONY. Double and cherry-red. \$1.10 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.

MOUNT TACOMA. (Left.) Extra Large; pure white with emerald-green markings on outer petals. 40¢ for 3; \$1.20 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100.

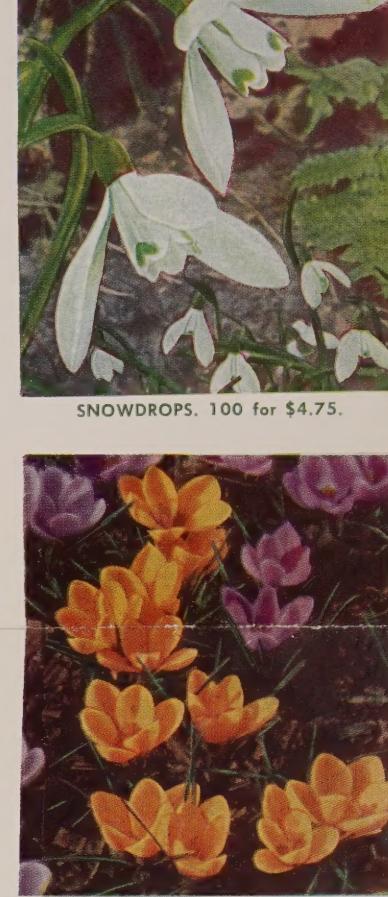
PEONIES

PEONY FESTIVA MAXIMA. Paper-white, crimson markings to center. Large and full; tall. 80¢ each, 3 for \$2.00; \$7.00 per doz.

FORTUNE. (Large Cup Class. Flowers of this class have cup more than one-third length of petals.) Famous for its sturdiness and fine coloring. Early. 3 for 55¢; \$1.80 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.



CHIONODOXA. (Glory of the Snow) 100 for \$2.75.



CROCUS. (Mixed) 25 for 95¢; \$3.50 per 100.



LARGE BEDDING HYACINTHS. As shown in picture, left to right: BISMARCK. Bright blue. L'INNOCENCE. Pure white. JAN BOS. Brilliant scarlet, early. CITY OF HAARLEM. Golden yellow. QUEEN OF THE PINKS. A beautiful pink. KING OF THE BLUES. (Not shown. Dark blue. 20¢ each; \$2.30 per doz.; \$17.00 per 100.)

COLLECTION OF HYACINTHS

1 each of 5 colors shown above and dark blue \$1.10
3 each of these 6 colors \$3.25
5 each of these 6 colors 5.40

Mixed Hyacinths: \$2.20 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.

River's Edge Flower Farm

Nuttall, Gloucester Co., Virginia

Ship to:

(Please print name and address plainly)

Address:

Express Office

(Only if different from Post Office)

Check, money order or cash enclosed for-

(Amount)

No C.O.D. Orders Please—All over-payments promptly refunded

PREPAYING OF SHIPMENTS: We prepay all charges on all bulbs, including our bushel and peck offers of daffodils, to all points east of the Mississippi River. Customers living west of the Mississippi River will please add ten per cent to our prices for daffodils to help with transportation charges. Tulips and all other bulbs will be sent any place in this country prepaid.

Six or more bulbs may be bought at the dozen rate and 25 bulbs at the 100 rate.

Cultural Directions Will Be Sent With Each Order

"The bulbs I have been getting from you for over 15 years now make quite a show in the Spring, especially the daffodils that I naturalized. People come here each year to see them. They are a great beauty." Mrs. J. F. Carter, Point of Rocks, Frederick Co., Md.

"Last year you sent me the Red Emperor tulips which bloom early. This year I'm ordering 100 Rainbow Mixture tulips to bloom later. After the early variety is finished I'd like the later ones to be coming in. Everybody admired the Red Emperors last year." Mrs. W. H. Bretz, Yeadon, Penna.

"I have just seen some of the loveliest daffodils I've ever seen grown, and the bulbs came from your flower farm. Will you please add my name to your mailing list?" Mrs. W. B. Campbell, Baton Rouge, La.

"I want to thank you for sending me such nice bulbs last fall. The daffodils and hyacinths are blooming now and are perfectly beautiful. . . . My red Jan Bos hyacinth has an eight inch stalk, full of blooms, and the color has attracted everyone's attention." Miss Bennie York, Nashville, Tenn.

"We are moving to a new house this fall and it is with regret that I leave the bushel of your bulbs we planted here five years ago. They seem to get lovelier each year." Mrs. Thomas I. Crowell, Charlottesville, Va.

"I have so enjoyed the daffodils I got from you two years ago, and in spite of the crowded condition of my small garden, I feel I must have more. Please send me a peck of your River's Edge Novelty Mixture." Mars Hanson, Kansas City, Mo.

"We were more than pleased with the bulbs received from you last year and are, right now, enjoying the beauty of the tulips. The daffodils are about gone but the muscari blooming, and we did have lots of scilla and snowdrops." Mrs. James N. Rasmussen, Otis, Mass.

"We just bought a big old house and the yard is very large. There is a deep border all around it and my husband and I are to dig it all up and cultivate it. . . . Two years ago you sent me some bulbs and I have had the most beautiful flowers." Mrs. Peter Gow, Attleboro, Mass.

"The daffodils I ordered from you last year were superb. I can not tell you how much pleasure they gave us, how long they bloomed. I hope to buy another peck for fall planting." Mrs. Bessie Barrett, Letohatchie, Ala.

DAFFODILS—More Recommended Varieties

GARDEN COLLECTION NO. 2

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| Alcida | Golden Sceptre | 3 each of 10 varieties (30 bulbs) | \$ 3.90 |
| Campernel Regulosis | John Evelyn | 6 each of 10 varieties (60 bulbs) | 7.50 |
| Carlton | Red Cross | 12 each of 10 varieties (120 bulbs) | 14.50 |
| Franciscus Drake | Scarlet Elegance | | |
| Geranium | Tunis | | |

EXHIBITION COLLECTION NO. 3

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| Beersheba | Robin Hood | 1 each of 10 varieties (10 bulbs) | \$ 1.70 |
| Dick Wellband | Scarlet Gem | 3 each of 10 varieties (30 bulbs) | 4.75 |
| Lovenest | Successor | 6 each of 10 varieties (60 bulbs) | 8.95 |
| Mangosteen | Unsurpassable | | |
| President Lebrun | Yellow Cheerfulness | | |

CONNOISSEUR COLLECTION NO. 4

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| Agra | Scarlet Leader | 1 each of 10 varieties (10 bulbs) | \$ 2.25 |
| Carolina | Thalia | 3 each of 10 varieties (30 bulbs) | 6.50 |
| Fortune | Twink | 6 each of 10 varieties (60 bulbs) | 12.95 |
| Gertie Millar | Whitely Gem | | |
| Mrs. R. O. Backhouse | William the Silent | | |



SCARLET GEM (Poetaz)

ACTAEA. (Poeticus.) Very large. Broad, snow-white perianth, large eye margined with dark red. Late. **3 for 50¢; \$1.60 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.**

AGRA. (Large Cup.) Large white perianth with vivid scarlet cup. Late. **3 for 80¢; \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.**

ALCIDA. (Short Cup.) Citron-yellow cup with orange frill, wide cream petals. Very late. **3 for 65¢; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.**

BEERSHEBA. (White Trumpet.) A very fine flower with perfect form and a pure white color throughout. Midseason. **3 for 70¢; \$2.25 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.**

CAMPERNEL REGULOSIS. Two small deep yellow blooms with tiny cups on each stem, sweet-scented. Early. **3 for 40¢; \$1.30 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.**

CAROLINA. (Small Cup.) An exceptionally tall, large flower. Pure white petals, orange cup. Late. **3 for 65¢; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.**

DICK WELLBAND. (Large Cup.) The petals are pure white, and the cup is flame orange. Very fine. Late. **3 for 55¢; \$1.80 per doz.; \$13.00 per 100.**

E. H. WILSON. (Large Cup.) Expanded, shallow lemon cup is surrounded by star-shaped white perianth. Midseason. **3 for 65¢; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.**

FORTUNE. (Large Cup.) An unusual flower with its large red cup and golden perianth. Early. **3 for 55¢; \$1.80 per doz.; \$13.00 per 100.**

FRANCISUS DRAKE. (Large Cup.) Pure white petals, flaming orange frilled cup. Midseason. **3 for 55¢; \$1.80 per doz.; \$13.00 per 100.**

GERANIUM. (Poetaz.) Tall stems carry 3 to 5 blooms each. Flowers are white with geranium-red centers. Late. **3 for 55¢; \$1.80 per doz.; \$13.00 per 100.**

GERTIE MILLAR. (Large Cup.) Fluted and frilled primrose cup crowns a large pure white perianth. Midseason. **3 for 65¢; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.**

GOLDEN SCEPTRE. (Jonquilla Hybrid.) An attractive small, sweet-scented bright yellow flower. Midseason. **3 for 65¢; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.**

JOHN EVELYN. (Large Cup.) Pure white perianth, lemon yellow, fluted cup. Midseason. **3 for 55¢; \$1.80 per doz.; \$13.00 per 100.**

LADY DIANA MANNERS. (Small Cup.) Creamy-white petals, expanded yellow crown with red edge. Late. **3 for 50¢; \$1.60 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.**

LA RIANTE. (Small Cup.) Pure white perianth, bright red cup. Midseason. **3 for 55¢; \$1.80 per doz.; \$13.00 per 100.**

LOVENEST. (Pink Trumpet.) Pinkish-apricot trumpet, white petals. An unusual looking daffodil. Midseason. **3 for 70¢; \$2.25 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.**

MANGOSTEEN. (Small Cup.) A magnificent flower with a wide scarlet crown and golden yellow petals. Late. **3 for 65¢ \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.**

MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE. (Large Cup.) The best known pink trumpet daffodil. Ivory-white petals, long trumpet with apricot pink, frilled edge. Late. **3 for 65¢; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.**

PRESIDENT LEBRUN. (Bicolor Trumpet.) A very fine flower with white perianth and large primrose trumpet. Midseason. **3 for 70¢; \$2.25 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.**

RED CROSS. (Large Cup.) Large strong flower with primrose perianth and orange cup. Midseason. **3 for 50¢; \$1.60 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.**

ROBIN HOOD. (Trumpet.) A giant flower with golden petals and a large orange cup. Very striking. Early. **3 for 65¢; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.**

SCARLET ELEGANCE. (Large Cup.) Beautiful coloring; petals deep yellow, cup deep orange-red. Midseason. **3 for 55¢; \$1.80 per doz.; \$13.00 per 100.**

SCARLET GEM. (Poetaz.) A colorful cluster-flower with a number of deep yellow heads with red centers on each stem. Very pretty. Late. **3 for 65¢; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.**

DUTCH IRIS

(Bulbous)

(For outdoor planting only.)

(Require some protection in Northern States.)

Dark blue, white, or yellow. State choice. **75¢ per doz.; \$5.00 per 100.**

Dutch Iris Mixed **70¢ per doz.; \$4.50 per 100.**

LIATRIS

LIATRIS (Blazing Star or Gayfeather) *Pycnostachya*. Blooms in midsummer and throws up long narrow spikes of purple flowers, four feet high, which last a long time. **3 for \$1.00; \$3.00 per doz.**

SCARLET LEADER. (Large Cup.) Creamy white petals; bright red expanded cup. Midseason. **3 for 65¢; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.**

SUCCESSOR. (Yellow Trumpet.) A long trumpet daffodil of the King Alfred type, deep yellow throughout. Late. **3 for 65¢; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.**

THALIA. (Triandrus.) Three delicately formed blossoms crown each stalk. Late. **3 for 70¢; \$2.25 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.**

TUNIS. (Large Cup.) Bold ivory crown with coppery gold brim; waxy white perianth. Early. **3 for 65¢; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.**

TWINK. (Double.) The leading double, primrose and apricot. A large, fine flower. Early. **3 for 65¢; \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.**

UNSPARSSABLE. (Yellow Trumpet.) A very fine new giant, deep yellow throughout. Early. **3 for 80¢; \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.**

WHITELEY GEM. (Large Cup.) Tall with a bright orange fluted cup backed by a golden perianth. Early. **3 for 70¢; \$2.25 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100.**

WILLIAM THE SILENT. (Trumpet.) Enormous golden yellow flower of perfect shape. **3 for 80¢; \$2.50 per doz.; \$18.00 per 100.**

YELLOW CHEERFULNESS. (Double.) A yellow form of the well-known white Cheerfulness. Cluster of double yellow flowers. Late. **3 for 55¢; \$1.80 per doz.; \$13.00 per 100.**



Special Early Offer!

5% Discount

If your order is selected from this price list, mailed us before August 26, 1957, and accompanied by remittance in full, you may deduct FIVE PER CENT cash discount from our list prices. We will also include a surprise packet of bulbs when we fill orders placed by this date.